

# JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE

First Extraordinary Session, 96th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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FIFTH DAY, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2011

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Representative Richardson in the Chair.

Prayer by Msgr. Robert A. Kurwicki, Chaplain.

*Trust in the Lord and do good. (Psalm 37:3)*

O God, our eternal source of wisdom, power, and love, Who is above us and within us, Who keeps the planets in their courses and yet is mindful of the faint whispers of our human hearts, before You we pause in reverence and awe, contemplating the grandeur of Your being, the greatness of Your power, and the glory of Your love.

Keep us restless until we find our rest in You, keep us dissatisfied until we find our satisfaction in You, keep us in weakness until we find our strength in You.

Into our lives come appeals for causes, some of which are good and some of which are not good. We pray that by Your spirit we may be led to make wise choices that our reactions may be good and for the good of all. Help us to keep our minds and hearts responsive to You, that Your grace may find an outlet in our lives and that we may be channels for Your spirit to establish justice between people, goodwill within homes, and peace in our state.

And the House says, "Amen!"

The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was recited.

The following members' presence was noted: Allen, Asbury, Bahr, Barnes, Berry, Black, Bandom, Brown (85), Cauthorn, Cierpiot, Colona, Conway (14), Conway (27), Crawford, Cross, Davis, Day, Dieckhaus, Diehl, Dugger, Fallert, Fisher, Fitzwater, Flanigan, Franklin, Franz, Fuhr, Gosen, Grisamore, Guernsey, Harris, Higdon, Hinson, Holsman, Hough, Johnson, Jones (89), Kelley (126), Klippenstein, Korman, Lair, Lant, Largent, Lasater, Lauer, Leach, Leara, Lichtenegger, Loehner, McDonald, McNeil, Montecillo, Nasheed, Nichols, Quinn, Redmon, Reiboldt, Riddle, Rizzo, Rowland, Ruzicka, Scharnhorst, Schieffer, Shively, Silvey, Spreng, Taylor, Thomson, Wallingford, Wells, White, Wieland and Wright.

## ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Representative Richardson, the House adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, September 14, 2011.

## **COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

### **APPROPRIATIONS - HEALTH, MENTAL HEALTH, AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

Thursday, September 15, 2011, 8:30 AM House Hearing Room 7.

Department updates, continued.

### **APPROPRIATIONS - PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONS**

Wednesday, September 14, 2011, 8:00 AM House Hearing Room 7.

Executive session may be held on any matter referred to the committee.

Discussion of veterans homes.

### **JOINT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION**

Wednesday, September 14, 2011, 8:30 AM House Hearing Room 1.

Agenda: Higher Education performance measures report (MDHE), K-12 funding formula impact assessment, and summary follow-up from August 19 hearing in Kansas City.

### **JOINT COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH**

Wednesday, September 14, 2011, 9:00 AM House Hearing Room 6.

Executive session may be held on any matter referred to the committee.

Quarterly business meeting.

Some portions of the meeting may be closed pursuant to Section 610.021.

### **JOINT COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT**

Wednesday, September 14, 2011, 9:30 AM House Hearing Room 4.

Executive session may be held on any matter referred to the committee.

Third quarter meeting.